

What am I learning this half term?

In Y1 and 2 this half term we will be looking at a variety of different subjects. In maths, we will be concentrating on multiplication and division and solving different problems involving these operations. In English, we will be writing traditional stories using adjectives, conjunctions and the 4 different sentence types. In Science we will be learning all about light and sound. We will be investigating different sources of light and will also look at the best materials to make a musical instrument.



P.E Dates

In P.E this half term, we will be taking part in Multi- Skills and Gymnastics.

Please ensure your child comes to school in full P.E kit, which is a plain white t-shirt, plain black tracksuit bottoms or shorts and a jumper/ waterproof coat for colder weather, pumps or trainers. This will take place on the following days.

Year 2- Tuesday (outdoor) and Thursday (indoor)

Year 1- Tuesday (outdoor) and Friday (indoor)

Morning Skills

At Ebor Gardens, we want to make every second of learning time count. From 8:30 we will be practicing our handwriting skills followed by key skills. This half term there will be a large focus on maths skills and facts. Children will also be given time to access TTRockstars or other learning platforms on a Chromebook.

Homework

Each Friday, Spellings and homework will be set and children will have until the following Friday to complete the tasks set. Dojo points will be awarded for completed work.

Reading Book

We will be encouraging the children to read every day. Please listen to your children read at home and initial their bookmark. These will also be accompanied by a banded book from our collection. This will be changed weekly for Year 1 and twice weekly in Year 2 (Tuesday's and Thursday's).

Topic

In Y1 and 2 this half term, our topic will be 'The Norman Conquest'. We will find out all about the Kings at this time and will explore the Battle of Hastings. We will also explore what Norman castles were like.

